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In re application of:

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Application No.: 09/412,863

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For: INDUCING CELLULAR IMMUNE
RESPONSES TO HUMAN
IMMUNODEFICIENCY VIRUS-1
USING PEPTIDE AND NUCLEIC ACID
COMPOSITIONS

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Sir:

In response to the Notice to Comply with Requirements for Patent Applications Containing Nucleotide Sequence and/or Amino Acid Sequence Disclosures mailed September 21, 2000, Applicants respectfully request entry of the following amendment and sequence listing. Submitted herewith are two copies of the written Sequence Listing submitted on compact disc in accordance with §1.821(c). The required duplicate copies on compact disc are labeled "copy 1" and "copy 2". The computer readable form of the Sequence Listing is also submitted on compact disc. A petition to extend time for one month is filed herewith.

Each compact disc is formatted for IBM-PC, MS-Windows 98. Each disc contains one file: 141ultra.txt, 2,439,302 bytes, created on November 15, 2000. The duplicate copies of the compact disc and the computer readable form of the sequence listing on compact disc are identical, *i.e.*, Copy 1 and Copy 2 of the compact discs are identical and the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form on the compact disc is identical to the written (on compact disc) sequence listing.

